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Fiscal Impact:	\$500,550.00
Funding Source:	Class 'C' Roads
Account No:	11-7581-40750-00000-0000

Award contract for the 2009 Slurry Seal Project.

Synopsis:

Lowest responsible bid was received by Intermountain Slurry Seal, Inc. for the amount of \$500,550.00

Background:

Bids were opened for the project on June 9, 2009. A total of four (4) bids were received.

The project consists of placement of approximately 470,000 square yards, Type III Slurry Seal on various residential streets throughout the city, at a cost of \$1.065 per square yard.

This work is usually done by city crews. Contracting this work out to a private party is likely only a one-year occurrence. City crews have historically completed the same work at 10-25% lower cost. However, the City's local oil supplier has gone out of business. No other local supplier could meet our needs, and no storage facility was available, if out-of-state suppliers were used. A new oil supply company will be open for business next year, and the old supplier's plant is also expected to be re-opened by new owners in time for next year's work. Barring unforeseen circumstances, city crews will be placing slurry seal again next year.

Recommendation:

Award contract.

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